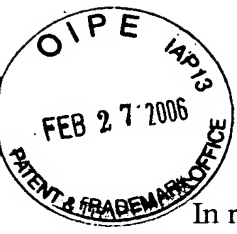


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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the November 25, 2005 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Drawings; and

Remarks.